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Dear Mr. Collins:

On March 12, 1998, you provided to NHTSA a proposed project description and statement of work for Years 4 and 5 of the settlement agreement for the following project in the area of G. Impairment Research:

Projections of Crashes and Casualties Caused by Older G.6 Drivers

NHTSA concurs with the project description and the statement of work. Materials relating to the settlement agreement are now being placed in the Department of Transportation Dockets, NHTSA-98-3585. Your submission will be placed in that docket.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions or need assistance, please feel free to call Ms. Heidi L. Coleman, Assistant Chief Counsel for General Law, at (202) 366-1834. If you or members of GM's technical staff have questions of a technical nature, please have them contact Dr. Jesse Blatt at (202) 366-5588.

Sincerely,

Original Signed By:

Philip R. Recht